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has only been in use about three proprietor of the City Hotel. months, and is in perfect condition. The press is of the Cincinnati Type Foundry manufacture and is guaranteed and warranted. We have recently procured a power press and have no further use for the hand press. We will give liberal terms to reliable parties. Address, THE COMET, Johnson City, Tenn.

Leaders of low prices.

Christian & Crockett.

Mr. J. M Fink's heart has gone on a trip up the Narrow Gauge this week. Mr. Wils McInturff, of Pipkin,

Friday. Jellies, Sauces & canned goods in COMET last week. We are sorry neithevery variety at W. G. Mathes & Bro. er editor was in. Robt Burrow has moved his law

COMET office. All kinds of Salt Fish at W. G.

Head quarters for good goods and good bargains is

Christian & Crocketts. Mr. John Murrey caused THE COMET devils to smile yesterday by leaving a

peck of nice peaches in the office.

freshest & cheapest Oranges & Lemons in Town.

Mrs. G. W. Hickey has been very sick for some days but we hope she will be able to be out again soon.

The cheapest coffee and sugar in town at Lide & Smith.

Mr. Robert Jobe, the Johnson City "dude" will leave very soon to travel for Spencer & Brown of Greeneville.

That pea berry coffee is the best in town. Found at

Christian & Crocketts.

Narrow Gauge railroad. We think we put up in small packages. We hope it will live long and grow big. know what he means,

New York Cream cheese Best at W. G. Mathes & Bro.

the family of Capt. S. T. Harris.

and called and paid Dr. J. H. Robin- see samples. son's subscription to THE COMET.

they are fine.

lawn 4cts calico 4cts good cambric handkercheifs 5cts at the headquarters for bargains.

Christian & Crocketts.

America has \$9,000,000 capital. If street to the school grounds. We Hasn't it got cute little feet! Hear it you want to insure from fire in this hope that all the friends of Education mew, Oh, isn't it sweet!" company, call at THE COMET office.

Apple Parers and Brass Kettles at Lide & Smith.

Oh, Betsey Ann I never do like to talk about people but I must say that Christian & Crockett sell better goods at lower prices than I ever bought before in my life.

Bob Parker, who fell from Bowman's COMET, died last Friday from his in- to prove a useful addition to the farm in full force, but there is not the usual tu muck when I'm tryin tu git the omit care and a recourse to the medi-

cheap at Lide & Smith.

Mr. P. P. Williams, one of the sub-stantial farmers of Milligan College neighborhood, was in to see us last Saturday. We are glad THE COMET will visit him another year.

Everything in the eating line cheap at W. G. Mathes & Bro.

If you want job work done, call at THE COMET office and examine samples and prices.

one of the sprightliest, newsiest, and best printed papers that comes to this

Who keeps the best assortment & cheapest Sugar & Coffees in Town? W. G. Mathes & Bro.

We are informed by Mr. J. A. Martions it acted like a charm. tin, agent for Messrs. James & Abbott, Boston, Mass. that he has bought in the ing to \$10,327.07.

noirs Town Creek and Range Family Flower at Lide & Smith.

Maj. Temple, of Greeneville, la visting his daughters Mrs. W. A. Dick- been printed THE COMET received, prises the Congressional list. inson and Mrs. A. P. Miller.

Mr. J. P. Hart left last Monday, for Illinois, where he goes to seek his fortune in new fields of labor. Success

We have a bran new seven column came up a few days ago and will spend pound cake from such a source, (un-nation he will have to defeat John

W. S. Hamilton, of the Goodson Democrat spent a few hours in our city yesterday, and while here paid his respects to THE COMET.

Roasting years will soon be on the market.—Enterprise, If this has not been a roasting year

so far we want to go North. Miss Nannie Snyder, of Elizabeth

ton, passed through the city yesterday

on her way to Estillville, Va., to visit her schoolmate, Miss Josie Edmonds. Unicoi county, called to see us last

office to the room in the rear of THE Nelson, of Carter county, renews his riage rim and fellow factory. He has 4 bushels. In the last week in guarantee it. estly advises us to stick to the truth dry and Machine Work's building and 1885, I sowed 3 bushels and 5 gallons,

Public Instruction, for Washington they mean business. county has promised to contribute a series of short articles on educational W. G. Mathes & Bro. Keep the matters for THE COMET. He will have something to say of interest to the farm, one fourth mile west of Johnson school directors of the county and ad- City. one hundred and twelve acres be true it will prove to be a good thing

> Mrs. Jon. W. Eakin, nee Miss Mollie Patton, died at her fathers residence Price \$60 per acre. in Jonesboro, last Wednesday morning at 8:30 a m. She had only been married a short time and leaves a kind husband and a host of sympathizing friends who mourn her loss.

We don't know exactly where Wheat is, but we think the Plain dealer a very appointed to solicit subscriptions for Maj. Geo. D. Taylor is building a creditable little paper. It is quite the stock of the association. This that ther' time an' Bob staid all nite his blood, restored his eye-sight, and new house at Watauga Point on the small, but then precious things are committee will report to the Chairwith me. 'Case me an' Nancy an' placed him on the road to health.

THE COMET office has just received a Judge Bradford, wife and daughter of Chattanooga, and Mrs. Hoskins, cards, envelopes etc, etc, and is now son county will take considerable inon short notice and at low figures. Mr. W. H. Pleasants, of Johnson Nothing but the best grade of work county, was in Johnson City last week will be done at this office. Call and

When the organs of secretion be-Did you try the pic nic hams at come inactive by reason of a celd or Christian & Crocketts, if not, try them, other cause, the inflamatory material The stable was visited first. should be removed and healthy action restored. Ayer's Pills accomplish You will find the best Tobacco, Ci- this quickly, safely, and surely. Much gars & Cigarettes at W. G. Mathes & serious sickness and suffering might be prevented by promptly correcting such derangements which often develop into settled disease.

A festival will be given on the night close the grounds of Science Hill In- claimed. The Insurance Company of North stitute and make a walk from main in this community will give the enterprise a liberal patronage, as this is a much needed improvement and one that will add greatly to the beauty of

our city. We were shown this week a fine trestle several days ago, an account of remarkable grain in East Tennessee, criminal cases. which was published in last week's and deserves great credit, for it is sure The lawyers and politicians are here

all interested. Misses Edna Lusk, Hattie Lusk, Geor- We learn that the Captain is very ing to those good old days.

Nancy's a good jedge o' indigo but gia Watson, and Carrie Gee, of Bris- much agitated over the idea that Pettibone is here, presumably to she's cakalated tu blab sumtimes. We learn that the Captain is very ing to those good old days. tol, who has been visiting Miss Geor- when Jonesboro extends its corperate look after the lible suit brought Bill McSwane sed tu git uy a petishun Millet gia Watson, delighted The Comer limits so as to include Johnson City, against him by Dr. Alexander, and trick tu sine it for me tu have the rimothy seed gang with their presence last Mon- an ordinance will be passed against annexation.

Miss Nannie Snyder, of Elizabethton, have to beat Pettibone. Tenn. Besides their own charming mention the contents, suffice it to say crowd him out. that after complying with the direc-

last 10 weeks, 500,000 feet of walnut thirteen years old, was drowned in Carter county who are urging him to it'll ruin the galorius demercratick poplar and cherry lumber, amount Holston River at Union Depot, last seek the nomination. If he deter- party in this deestrick. It'll bust it Monday. He was left standing on mines to again enter the contest, it wide open. Mr. Editur I want you Lags. Morristown Southern Crown, Le-the bank of the river by another boy, would be pretty safe to say that Car-letter like Gray Allen duz when they and it is thought was attacked by an ter county will stand by him. epilectic fit, to which he was subject, Judge Hacker, it is said, will not be it tu Uncle Sam an' tell him I'll lick Leat Largest Stock of Window Glass be- and fell into the river. The body was a candidate for Congress. He wants his stamps for him or anything else. tween Knoxville and Bristol at Lide & found a few feet from where he was another term as Judge, but would ac-

Last Thursday after our edition had | forced upon him, This about com-

ever been our pleasure to see, with the county has two candidates. Jno. P. following card accompaning it: Smith, has resigned his position as The Johnson City dynamiters are RT." The Snyder House is one of the Elizabethton, and will be a candidate walnut logs, in car load lots, and \$25, free once more. They got off with a most popular summer resorts in East for Chancellor. C. C. Collins will also 00 per thousand feet for good cherry mistrial, a bad scare and the payment Tennessee. If there is anything that be a candidate. Chris. is a young man logs. causes an editor's heart to pulsate but has lots of backing in Carter coun-Mr. Wm. Dickinson, of Morristown, with greater joy than to receive a ty. But if either receives the nomiisfied with "taking the cake," but run up into Carter and Johnson. when we think of the fair hands that We hear of no opposition to John made this one (we are surprised we Fain, for Attorney General, among are living now to write this) we find Republicans up this way. J. F. Hale, it impossible to express our thanks however, is now a citizen of Greene

> Woman kneads but little of her food. But what she kneads, is always good, To thank you we've exhausted our catalogue. But to use a slang term that cake was "just dog."

Freight Shipments-Week ending July 11th the E. T. Va. & Ga. R. R. Co. shipped from Johnson City sixty car Messrs. J. L. Bond, Alf Parrot and loads of lumber and ore making 2,052,-Bruce Cartright, of Blountville, ac- 000 pounds of freight in one week. companied by Misses Addie Bumgard- We are informed by Mr. Eakin, depot ner, Annie Kate Hammer and Belle agent that freight business generally Glenn, of the same place visited THE is on the increase.

Pittsburgh Pa., has arrived in the city about the 20th of March, I sowed 4 Our Republican friend, Capt. W. A. for the purpose of establishing a car- pints of this new grain, and threshed subscription to THE COMET and mod- leased the second story of the Foun- March and the first week in April, as close as possible. We intend to do will remain in our midst until his and finished harvesting on the 8th Cure is the remedy for you. For sale that, Captain, even if it should be at machinery arrives and is in operation. inst. It not being threshed, I can not the expense of your not liking the pa- This is the kind of a man it takes to tell what amount there will be, but esbuild up a town, and Johnson City is timate the crop at 125 to 150 bushels. R. L. Patton, Superintendent of help such men when we are satisfied It is fine feed for stock, and supplies

Notice.

known as the Richerson Harrington than clover hay. Admitting this to vises them to subscribe for this paper. in the tract. A good log house, good for the farmers. barn and other out buildings, good spring. Land in good cultivation.

Charity Harrington's Heirs.

Carter County's Fair.

The citizens of Carter county held a public meeting at Elizabethton on Monday to consider the question of Geo. Boren, Sec. Committees were the stockholders for the purpose of terest in the fair. We hope they will

What She Knew About It.

A Sullin's College graduate while visiting her schoolmate in the country was being shown over the farm. I knowed rite then he wus no angel

"Yes, but we have to do that." replied her guide.

"Why so?"

"So they will give condensed milk." She believed it. Passing on to the of July 23 at Jobe's Opera House, the poultry yard, the first thing she beobject of which is to raise funds to in held being a young gosling. she ex-

"What a dear little chicken!

The guide being disgusted took her to the house and gave her the latest novel.

From Elizabethton.

Circuit court is in session here this week, or rather criminal court, for all specimen of beardless barley, by Mr. civil cases were continued on Mon-G. E. Swadley, of Unicoi county. Mr. day until the November term, and the Swadley is the first to introduce this week will be consumed in the trial of

products of our country. We pub- discussion of political probabilities poast offis. Scythes, Hay Forks and grindstones lish, in another column, a communi- and possibilities one hear's at court cation more fully describing this grain times in this, the political Mecca of ton as how the president had pinted it for granted you are in want of a by himself, which should be read by East Tennessee. The Republican Bob Tailer fur tu pay the solgers penprominents for the next Congressional shuns, I wus a solger, but wusnt Capt. Joe Hale enlivened the regions race are nearly all here. Judge R. R. sin Sally's solgers, an' I gues I'll not around Johnson City last Tuesday Butler looks as serene and smiles as git eny penshun. Bill McSwane sed night with a fox chase. A pet fox affably as in days of yore when he rep- he'd past a recomotion in the legislawas lead around town and then about resented the First District in Congress. a dozen hounds were put on the trail. He would have no objection to return-

fox chasing. He is therefore against says he is not a candidate. But the poast offis. Now that a'nt but two up knowing ones who have stood by him here an' that me an' Nancy an' Hi in the past, say that while he is not a Rains. Hi he's a wantin the posst Last Friday THE COMET sanctum candidate he is "in the hands of his was honored by a visit from three of friends." Pettibone and Walt Brown- then up an' turn roun an' ask our Bird M. Robinson, Esq., of the the "fairest of the fair" sex, Mrs. Bet- low together are playing a deep game, president fur the poast offis. Hi done

Senator Simerly is talked of a good now I guess, case Dan Terser what's package, highly perfumed, we will not nominee, but the old Republicans may bin hung down in Alabamer them

Alf Taylor says he is out of politics, the demercrats an' kluklux. Nancy but we don't believe he can stand the says it makes a site o' difirance whose Drowned—Thomas Johnson, a lad pressure. He has hosts of friends in the poast offis sacre, case if he gits it.

cept a Congressional nomination if

through the kindness of Capt. W. P. The race for Chancellor does not in- wheat, grain drills and phosphate. Miller, the handsomest cake it has volve much discussion, though Carter

Washington hand press for sale. It a few weeks with his son, the clever less a ten pound one) we don't know Murphy, of Morristown, who is care-drill made. Call on him before you what it is. Ordinarily editors are sat- fully laying his wires, some of which buy all on S. H. Pouder.

for such a kind and substantial re- county, and, it is said, will have Pettibone's influence for that place. Tyler Campbell, of Hancock. may give It cures Consumption. J. B. Jones. trouble in the lower end.

Beardless Barley.

of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. For sale by J. B. Jones. Something entirely new is being propigated and introduced in East Tennessee by G. E. Swadley, of Unicoi county. A barley without beards, and as smoothe and harmless as smoothe wheat. I desire every reader of THE COMET, especially every farmer, to note the facts and figurea New Factory .- Mr. D. T. Nevin, of in the matter. In the spring of 1884, the place of oats-which is a very uncertain crop-also millet and hay mines. According to analysis, the straw con-A most desirable farm farm for sale, tains more nutritive properties in it

Red-Bud Holler.

[WHICH IS ON GRASSY FORK] JULI the 13th 18 & 85

MR. EDITURS :- I know Bob Tailer pow'rful well, an' Nancy, that's my stubborn case of Scrofula, with one ole wumen wus a gwinter 'rite him a single bottle of B. B. B. Write to him THE COMET acknowledges the reacounty fair. J. J. McCorkle was lift. Ye see Bob run aginst that ther' lanta, has a son who had a sloughing ceipt of the first number of the Plain- made Chairman of the meeting and feller what they call hereabouts bug- scrofulous ulcer of the neck, and had juse Petybone. They had a speekin' loft his hair and eye-sight, finding no down to the Coghill meetin house relief. One bottle of B. B. B. healed man, who will then call a meeting of Hi Rains is the only two demercrats in this deestrick. Hi could'nt keep CATARRH CURED, health and electing permanent officers, etc. The Bob, 'case he cudent he ced. Sed I bill of the best quality of stationery, grounds will be located at Elizabeth-tu Nancy, sed I—"can't we keep the Injector free. consisting of letter heads, packet and ton or Hampton. If Hampton should canidate?" Nancy 'lowed as tho' he put up with such as we eat he mout stay. Bob 'lowed as tho' he wus mi'ty much obleeged to us, an' 'peared pow'rful luvin tu Sisero, Nancy's ba- DR. J. A. DICKEY, by. Atter while Bob went out an' he coffed like an' then winked at me an' "Dear me how close the poor cows lernt me what that ther kind 20 miles around. Send at once. are crowded together," she remarked. of blinking the eye ment Nancy she took tu Bob pow'rful, an' up an' sed if she had'nt a named the baby Sisero she'd call it Bob. She called Sisero case a young preecher frum the col- tion of average human life because ege preeched at our meetin house a they neglect to take the commonest little afore that, an' said Sisero wus a precautions against sickness. It is babdist. Nancy lays by the babdists disease in its maturity that kills, and a heep, an' she named her baby Sisero, maturity implies growth. A slight So I lowed Bob mite help me git the indisposition is usually slighted. poast offis at Red-Bud Holler, an' so I They who avail themselves of Hostet-

> I hearn while I wus down tu Chiftar to penshun blind solgers. I'm not blind but Nancy says if the penshun was fur lazy solgers I'm a fit subjeck. offis tu. I think its mity insurin tu

vote fur that there feller Saintjon, an' Bacon, hog round then up an' turn roun an' ask our Lard per it. Greeneville Bulletin made us a pleasant call this week. The Bulletin is
one of the springhtliest newsjeet and the man who gets the nomination will "WATER PURE WATER"

Black berries and the man who gets the nomination will "WATER PURE WATER"

Postetoes, Irish Black berries. Potatoes, Irish on top of it. Sainjon wont bother selves they brought with them a small deal in Carter county as a probable been out in Arkansaw says the rads Chickens, hens per the hung Saintjon in Effigy. If he'd a Turkeys, per ib ther rads up North wud a laid it on

> Yours in haste EZEKIEL REDBUD.

put his name in the tribune, an' send

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Yours Respt., L. H. TAYLOR.

Only a Fraction of Life. How many persons live only a frac took my foot in han' an' went down ter's Stomach Bitters know it to be tu Clifton tu see Bill McSwane bout efficacious in chronic cases of disease, it tu. Bill's bin to the legislatar, an' but the process of cure is a far easier they du say he voted square fur the one if it is used in early stages of disdemercrats. That's powerful disa- pepsia, malarial disease, rheumatism, pintin tu some of the rads her'abouts, constipation and liver derangement. case they thought Bill voted fur bug- Let those who would avoid the peril juce Pettibone. Bill's a hard fox tu which even the most potent remedies trap, fur he gulled the wool over their cannot avert, steer clear of the rock eys in the knobs tu. Nancy says as upon which so many constitutions how she don't like tu see a man ridin split -- an under-appreciation of the 2 horses, but I tell her she musnt talk danger of neglect. It will not do to cine when health is affected. If debilitated, or nervous, or dyspeptic take

one of Uncle Sams, I was one o Cou- Market Report, Corrected Weekly by WILL HARR.

> SUBJECT TO MARKET CHANGES. Johnson City, May 30, 1885.

-N. C. WAREHOUSE.-

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